



BEFORE THE MADURAI BENCH OF MADRAS HIGH COURT

DATED : 31.03.2021

CORAM:

THE HONOURABLE MR.JUSTICE **M.DHANDAPANI**

W.P. (MD)No.8983 of 2016

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... Petitioner

versus

1. The District Collector / Inspector of Panchayat
Office of the District Collector / Inspector of
Panchayat,
Thoothukudi District.

2. The Kayathar Block Development Officer
(Village Panchayat)
Office of the Kayathar Block Development
Officer, (Village Panchayat)
Kayathar Panchayat Union,
Thoothukudi District.

3. The President,
North Elanthaikulam,
Kovilpatti Taluk,
Thoothukudi District.

... Respondents

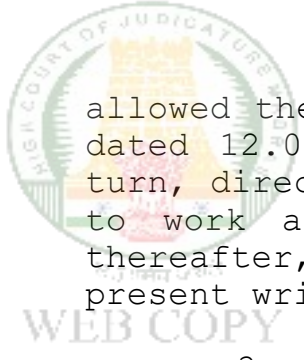
Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, praying for the issuance of Writ of Mandamus, to direct the 3rd respondent to permit the petitioner to continue his service in the 3rd respondent office as Scavenger with all service benefits in accordance with direction issued by the 1st respondent in Na.Ka.No.Val12/34405/2014 dated 15.06.2015.

For Petitioner	: Mr.R.Alagumani
For Respondents	: Mr.K.P.Narayanakumar, Special Government Pleader for R1 Mr.M.Rajarajan for R2

ORDER

The present writ petition has been filed seeking for the issuance of Writ of Mandamus, to direct the 3rd respondent to permit the petitioner to continue his service in the 3rd respondent office as Scavenger with all service benefits in accordance with direction issued by the 1st respondent in Na.Ka.No.Val12/34405/2014 dated 15.06.2015.

2. The case of the petitioner is that he was working as scavenger in the 3rd respondent for the past 24 years and he has received monthly salary of Rs.3,500/- on consolidated basis. From March 2014, the 3rd respondent has not paid the salary and not



allowed the petitioner to work. Therefore, he made representations dated 12.08.2014 and 10.09.2014 before the 2nd respondent, who in turn, directed the 3rd respondent to allow the petitioner to continue to work as Scavenger, vide his letter dated 23.09.2014. Even thereafter, the petitioner was not allowed to work. Hence, the present writ petition has been filed.

3. Today, when the matter is taken up for consideration, the learned Special Government Pleader appearing for the first respondent, on instructions, submitted that during the pendency of the writ petition, the petitioner was permitted to work as Scavenger and also granted time scale of pay.

4. In view of the above, no further adjudication is necessary. Accordingly, the Writ Petition is closed. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (AS)

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Sub Assistant Registrar(CS)

To

1. The District Collector / Inspector of Panchayat
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+1 CC to M/s.SPL GP (SR-15024[F], SR-15339[F] dated 01/04/2021)

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